

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A wet floor wiping device comprising: a mop made of absorbent material; a mop frame including a center carrier piece attached to a handle; and two quadrilateral shaped mop carrier wings, each wing pivotably mounted by a hinge edge of the center carrier piece, the carrier wings having inner surfaces which carry the mop and which can be pressed against each other by way of squeezing, wherein at least one of two side edges extending from the hinge edge is slanted toward the opposite side edge, and wherein the carrier wings include water drain grooves which run ~~at an angle~~ transverse to a perpendicular of the hinge edge toward the slanted side edge.

2. (Previously Presented) The wet floor wiping device according to Claim 1, wherein each mop carrier wing forms a trapezoid with an included right angle, the larger base line of which forms the hinge edge.

Claims 3 to 4. (Canceled).

5. (Previously Presented) The wet floor wiping device according to Claim 1, wherein the water drain grooves are arranged parallel one to another.

6. (Previously Presented) The wet floor wiping device according to Claim 1, wherein the water drain grooves become wider toward the angled side edge.

7. (Previously Presented) The wet floor wiping device according to Claim 5, wherein the mop carrier wings have an interior surface and wherein the water drain grooves extend between the interior surface and a point between the interior surface and an opposite mop carrier wing surface.

8. (Previously Presented) A wet floor wiping device comprising: a mop made of absorbent material; a mop frame including a center carrier piece attached to a handle; and two mop carrier wings, each wing pivotably mounted by a hinge edge of the center carrier piece, the carrier wings having inner surfaces which carry the mop and which can be pressed against each other by way of squeezing, wherein at least one of two side edges extending from the hinge edge is slanted toward the opposite side edge,

wherein each mop carrier wing has an interior surface having water drain grooves which run toward the slanted side edge, and

wherein the water drain grooves become wider toward the angled side edge.

Claims 9 to 10. (Canceled).

11. (New) The wet floor moping device according to claim 8,
wherein the water drain grooves run transverse to a perpendicular of the hinge edge
towards the slanted side edge.